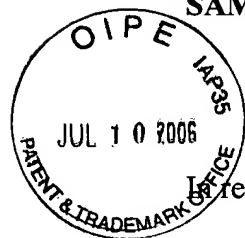


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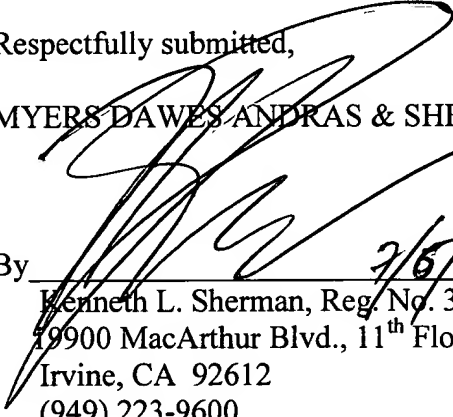
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- ☒ Petition for Two (2) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$450.00 for the extension of time.
- ☐ No fee is required.
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- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 01-1960 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1960 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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